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In re application of: Shantha Sarangapani et al.

Entitled: MATERIAL COMPOSITIONS FOR MICROBIAL AND CHEMICAL PROTECTION

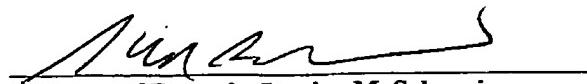
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The following checked items are applicable:

- [] This is a Request for Continued Examination under §1.114; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$_____) per §1.17(e).
 [] Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on _____ per §1.116.
- [X] Small Entity Status is asserted.
- [X] A Petition for Extension of Time for 3 months is hereby made under §1.136(a); authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$525.00) per §1.17.
- [X] In the event a Petition for Extension of Time is required by this paper and not otherwise provided, such Petition is hereby made and authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of such extension.
- [] Other:

CLAIMS AFTER AMENDMENT:	MINUS PRIOR PAID CLAIMS:	EQUALS PRESENT EXTRA CLAIMS:	RATE:	ADDITIONAL FEE:
Independent	9 - 9	= 0	x \$210.00 =	0
Total	24 - 20	= 4	x \$ 50.00 =	200.00
[] Multiple Dependent Claims (1st presentation)			+ \$370.00 =	0
			SUBTOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE	200.00
Small Entity filing, divide by 2. Small Entity status must be asserted.				100.00
			TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE	100.00

- [] No additional fee. [X] The fee has been calculated above; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 (\$100.00) for the cost of same.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees under §1.16 associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-0804.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being sent via facsimile to Examiner John D. Pak, TC Art Unit 1616, Fax No. (571) 273 8300, on December 20, 2007.


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